## **Certified Lactation Specialist Course**

## Presented by Lactation Education Consultants

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Sign up fast! This course is one of the most popular offered by the WIC Program. Seating limited!

The Certified Lactation Specialist Course is designed for the aspiring lactation consultant, Breastfeeding Coordinator, CPA, Peer Counselor or others desirous of improving their knowledge base and skills in working with the breastfeeding dyad.

All areas included on the IBLCE exam are addressed. The 5 day course provides 45 of the 90 necessary hours of continuing education in lactation to qualify to sit for the IBLCE exam. Lactation management skills are taught through practical application of scientific principles.

The course is continuously updated in response to changes within the profession and the rapidly expanding body of scientific knowledge.

Certification as a lactation specialist is achieved through attendance of the <u>entire</u> course and successful completion of the end of course exam on the last day.

This certification is a stepping stone to the IBCLC credential. It is hoped that those who attend this course ultimately go on to become board certified, although that is not a requirement.

During this very practical course, participants will be taught how to use appropriate counseling skills, how to teach mothers and families, and most importantly, how to function hands-on as a clinician.

This course is split course. October 15, 16, 17, 2012 and October 29, 30, 2012 from 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM

Must attend all 5 days to receive 45 CERPs.

The cost of the course is \$300.

Please note the payment is nonrefundable.

Registration at 7:45 AM Course begins promptly at 8:00 AM

Monon Community Center (Banquet Rooms A&B) 1235 Central Park Drive East, Carmel, IN 46032 http://carmelclayparks.com

Lunch will be provided that will accommodate vegetarians. We regret we cannot meet special dietary requests. Please bring your own lunch if you are on a special diet.

## **Registration Form**

Please note the payment is nonrefundable.

For more information, email Priti Patel at ppatel@tippecanoe.in.gov or call 765-420-9998 Ext 2408

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